Explanation about the experiment

- 1. It is your free will to participate in these experiments. Even during the experiments, for whatever reason, you can cancel your participation in the experiments. You will not have any disadvantage because of the cancelation.
- 2. This experiment aims to elucidate the mechanism of perception of the body. We don't aim to judge individual characteristics of the participants. The data obtained from you will be analysed statistically together with other experiment participants.
- 3. In the experiment, an experimental session lasted about 15 30 minutes. Between the sessions, you will take a break of 15-30 minutes. Whole experiments take about 8 hours in total including the breaks.
- 4. In the experiment, you will be asked to estimate your height and leg length. You will need to fill several questionnaires. You will need to estimate a certain distance by taking a foot step backwards. We will measure height, leg length, and weight. You will be presented with noise sound from loudspeakers located left and right of your head. The noise may be relatively loud but it has no adverse effects on your hearing.
- 5. Medically, this experiment does not hurt any health. But if you feel sick, we will stop the experiment at any time.
- 6. When you cancel the experiments, we will pay the reward according to the spent time.
- 7. Research data obtained through the experiments will be presented at academic conferences, journal papers, books, etc. The data will not be published in any identifiable form for individuals. Your personal information will be treated in accordance with NTT's personal information handling guidelines. We will store them in a warehouse and dispose of it responsibly under the control of the chief investigator one year after their acquisition.
- 8. Any disorders, impairments, etc. your suffered after the experiments will be compensate only when those disorders are proven to be caused by false information included in the explanation from the experimenter and/or their false experimental operations.
- 9. It is possible for you to stop the experiments at any time, without giving any explanation for it.
- 10. We record the sound of the entire experiments to verify whether the experiment was done properly. The recording sound is not used for anything other than this purpose. According to NTT's Personal Information Handling Guidelines, it is kept at the Secretariat of the Research Ethics Committee of NTT Communication Science Laboratories. It is cleared by the Secretariat of the Research Ethics Committee at the end of the fiscal year after three years have elapsed from the experiment.
- 11. Person in charge of experiment

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| Consent form | |
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| I, after having been given explanations and instructions from the person in charge and reviewing thoroughly the consents listed in the informed consent, agree to participate in this experiment of my own free will. | |
| Name Given name | Family name |
| Age | |

Address Telephone Signature Experiment date (D, M, Y) / /